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## S. M. ROTHSCHILD.

## CLOAK DEPARTMENT.

The inclemency of the weather has upset the calculations of every merchant. I am one of those unfortunate ones, having the "largest stock of Winter Cloaks" in the city on my hands.

It is indeed the finest collection of Stylish Garments ever brought to Chicago. There is nothing lacking in Ladies', Misses', and Children's Sacques, Newmarkets, Circulars, Dolmans, Etc., made of the best Seal-skins, Plushes, Silk Mattalasses, Berlin Cloths, Etc., and the highest standard of workmanship.

The price is not so much of an object as to reduce this large stock of mine. I pledge myself to "please everybody," "fit everybody," and "save lots of money to everybody." Please read the tremendous bargains below and give me an early call.

### Plush Cloaks.

ON FULL 44-INCH

### HAL. PLUSH SAQUES.

BEAUTY Quilted Satin Linings, Finest Trimmings, and made in the best possible manner.

IN THIS SALE $15.00! Reduced from $20.00.

HAL. PLUSH SAQUES, $17.
HAL. PLUSH SAQUES, $20.
HAL. PLUSH SAQUES, $25.
HAL. PLUSH SAQUES, $30.
HAL. PLUSH SAQUES, $35.
HAL. PLUSH SAQUES, $40.

ONE OF THE LOT. $50! Actual Value, $75 to $100.

PLUSH NEWMARKETS, $25 Reduced from $40.00.
PLUSH NEWMARKETS, $30 Reduced from $50.00.
PLUSH NEWMARKETS, $35 Reduced from $60.00.
PLUSH NEWMARKETS, $40 Reduced from $75.00.

$25! Real Plush Sacques, Elegantly trimmed with Fur.

Ladies to Large Ladies.

Silk Mattalasse Newmarkets! For This Sale $19.50. REDUCED FROM $35.

Russian Circulars! $4.50. Reduced from $10.

Black Cashmere Cloth Newmarkets! $6.50. WORTH FOR $10.

100 Ladies' Black Silk and Wool Mattalasse Russian Circulars, At $10 Each. Actual Value $20.

$35! BLACK BROCADED SILK VELVET Newmarkets! Actual Value $65.00.

75 Ladies' Plush Newmarkets! $10.00. Actual Value $20.00.

100 BLACK DOLMANS! $7.50! Actual Value $15.00.

Principally all Imported Garments and worth double our prices.

For Tomorrow's Bargains in our Popular Basement see second page of this issue.

## FUR DEPARTMENT.

### Sealskin Garments

Made from fine, soft and even Garments, carefully selected, and dyed by our "Parisian Diamond Electric Black Dye" and "Fast London Dye." A written guarantee given for the price, with each Garment, or piece cut for Fur Trimming.

Aladdin Sacques - $87.00
Aladdin Sacques - $100.00
Aladdin Sacques - $125.00
Aladdin Sacques - $150.00

SEALSKIN NEWMARKETS, At $250 Each.

SILK Circulars! $50.00

CIRCULARS! $12.50

Muffs! At 75c Each.

...LDER CAPES!

...uch.

...Cheap.

...CHILD, ...ST.

## DECKED IN REGAL GRANDEUR, ARRAYED In Holiday Splendor!

WILL BE

## LLOYD'S

## On Thursday Next, Dec. 11,

Being the Occasion of Our

GRAND CHRISTMAS OPENING!

TO A VERITABLE

## BANQUET OF BEAUTY!

PRESENTED WITH A COSTLY SOUVENIR!

Remember all this will occur on Thursday Next.

Not Tomorrow, Tuesday, and Wednesday nor Saturday.

## Famous Cloak Sales

Will be continued with greater vim than ever characterized them hitherto.

See These Most Powerful Attractions:

Ladies' Form-Fitting Newmarkets, velvet-cuffs, at $5.00; worth $10.00.

Ladies' Newmarket's made of Brown Diagonal Cloth, with silk plaid collars and cuffs and two rows of silk plaid all down the front, at only $7.50; worth $15.00.

Ladies' Tourist Cloaks made of Fine Scotch Twill, full plaited backs, and with a fine silk saddle ornament, at only $8.00; a big bargain.

Ladies' Tight-Fitting Cloaks made of Fine All-Wool Beaver in heavenly shade of brown, Collars and Cuffs of Russia Fur, full backs, and with an excellent silk and chenille ornament, only $17.50; worth $30.00.

Ladies' Ottoman Silk Russian Circulars, full lengths, with double box-plaited backs, $12.50; made to retail at $20.00.

Misses' and Children's Cloaks at $1.47, $2.50, $3.67, $4.50, $5.75, $6.50, $10.00, and $12.50.

Principally all Imported Garments and worth double our prices.

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## LLOYD,

143 and 144 State-st.

JOHN D. ZERNITZ, Pres.
SAM'L GOLDEN, V. Pres.
ALBERT ZERNITZ, Sec. & Treas.

THE

## John D. Zernitz Co.,

Importers and Jobbers of

## FANCY GOODS, TOYS,

AND DRUGGISTS' SUNDRIES.

The attention of dealers is called to our full stock of Dolls, Toys, Holiday Ornaments, Albums, and Holiday Goods generally. Send for catalogue. Trade only supplied.

42 Lake-st., Chicago.

## Home Again!

## H. ROCHER,

Widow Music Hall.

FOR RENT.

## CANDY DEPT.

## The Fair.

CHRISTMAS TREE ORNAMENTS

WAX CANDLES, 25c Box.

POP CORN, 5c PER STRING.

## MIXED CANDY, 9c Pound.

Caramels, 25c Pound.

COSTUME MOTTOES, 25 in box, 25c per box.

Citron, Almonds, Cream Walnuts, Mixed Almonds, Almond Rocks, Assortment, Chocolate Creams, Cocoa Nut Rocks, Chocolate Creams, all your home-made Candies, 25c per pound.

Fancy Boxes and Cornucopias, for Christmas Trees and Entrees, from 5c per handsome specimen.

State, Adams & Dearborn-sts.

The Cheapest and the Best.

## WHEAT BAKING POWDER.

PURE and WHOLESOME.

## SANTA CLAUS' HOME.

THE PRETTIEST ASSORTMENT OF

TOYS, DOLLS, GAMES

And Fancy Goods

HOLIDAY PRESENTS.

Schweitzer & Moos's

111 STATE STREET 111

Popular Prices for Goods of Acknowledged Quality.

## 20,000

6-qt. Milk-Pans at 5 cts. each.
Buck-Saws, complete with Frames, only 15 cts.
Handled Axes (best cast) only 50 cts.
Lanterns worth $1.25 for 50c.
Handled Picks, 50 cts.
Buck-Saw Blades, $1 per doz.
Great bargains in other goods.

## A. W. WHEELER,

141 LAKE-ST.

## REAL ESTATE LOANS

PROMPTLY MADE AT CURRENT RATES.

SAM'L GERE,

134 Dearborn-st.

BETHESDA GINGER ALE.

WAUKESHA

10 Gallons for $1.00.

## A GREAT ART!

To buy a great amount of goods with very little money!

Do you know where you can buy in reality more goods for One Dollar than elsewhere for Three Dollars?

There is only one such place in Chicago, and that is

## "THE FAMOUS"

218 and 220 State-st.

Here the best and newest goods are sold at ridiculously Low Prices, as the

GREAT CLEARING-OUT SALE

Will be continued only till Jan. 1, 1867. By which time every article of our Immense Stock must be sold.

Notice the following unprecedented Bargains:

Ladies' Fine Cloth Bordered Handkerchiefs at 10c
Ladies' Linen Handkerchiefs at 10c
Spectacles and Eyeglasses at 10c
Ladies' Shawls (reduced from $5) at 10c
Children's Merino Hose, all shades at 10c
Black Brocade and Lace Ties at 10c
Fancy Angola Wrigs at 10c
Fancy Colored Worsted Gloves at 10c
Fine Quality Black Cashmere Gloves at 10c
Fine Quality Colored Cashmere Gloves at 10c
Fine Quality Black Cashmere Hose at 10c
Fine Quality Colored Cashmere Hose

# Great Manufacturer's Sale

## E. J. LEHMANN'S,

## "THE FAIR."

Large size Sleigh, handsomely decorated very strongly made, with Cutter Runs.

**At 68c.**

Full size Express Wagon, with wide tire and broad, made of best wood, with hand-made wheels.

**At 95c.**

Malleable Iron Velocipede, large enough for boys of 3 to 9 years, leather seat, painted in fancy colors,

**At $2.25.**

Large size Toy Perambulator, stuffed, cushion top, handsomely decorated,

**At 58c.**

Extra large size Rocking Horse, tipped legs, painted yellow, long mane and tail,

**At 75c.**

Large size Willow Body Doll Perambulator, hard wood axle and wheels, decorated,

**At 75c.**

Large size Shoo Fly Rocker, handsomely painted, made of hard wood,

**At 75c.**

Large size Toy Cart, strongly made & highly decorated,

**At 15c.**

REMEMBER OUR

## Grand Holiday Opening!

"THE FA

E. J. LEH

State, Adams

P.S.—Send for our

TIME

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# BANKRUPT STORE,

184 & 186 State-st.

## What We Give You TO BUY Christmas Presents With!

IN OUR

## Cloak & Suit DEPARTMENT,

Commencing Tomorrow, Monday,

## 25 cts.

will be returned on every Dollar in cash customer that purchases a

## Cloak or Suit!

This is what we mean, for instance.

If you buy an Astrich Wadding Jacket for $4.00 we will return to you $1.00.

If you buy an All-Wool Tip-Chinchilla, Diagonal Overcoat at $6.00 we will return you $1.50.

If you buy a Plush Interlined Dolman, which is cheap at $8.00, we will return you $2.00.

If you buy a Dolman for $10.00 we will return you $2.50. This Garment is worth fully $16.00.

## Russian Circulars!

If you buy a Russian Fur-Trimmed Circular, which has bargain at $6.00, we will return you $2.00.

If you buy a Russian Matelasse Circular, printed back and new design, very cheap at $10.00, we will return you $2.75.

If you buy a Newmarket in Matelasse, good style, a bargain at $14.00, we will return you $3.50.

If you buy an All-Wool Diagonal, Fur-Trimmed, Plaited Back, Satin-Striped Ulster, which is a surprise at $20.00, we will return you $5.00.

## Plush Sacques.

If you buy a Plush Sacque, Satin Lined, with Chenille Fringing, full length, at $20.00, which is just bargain, we will return you $5.00.

One lot jobbed at $25.00 on which we will return you $7.50.

Rich Sacque, elegant goods at $30.00, on which we will return you $8.00.

The pride of a Plush Sacque at $40.00, on which we will return you $10.00.

If you buy a Real Seal Plush Sacque at $50.00, which is without competition, we will return you $14.00.

If you buy a Fur-Lined Circular, the best quality, at $10.00, we will return you $4.00.

## Suits! Suits!

If you buy a Somerset Suit, sacque cassie, at $8.00, we will return you $2.00.

If you buy a Black Silk Suit in Cheviots at $15.00 we will return $4.75.

AN ORDER on each Dollar will be returned for all

Children's & Misses' Suits.

We would suggest for the benefit of our numerous patrons to call early and take advantage of this great sale.

Large Stock and Low Prices!

## BANKRUPT STORE,

184 and 186 State-st.,

S. SELTZER.

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## Julius Bauer & Co.,

## PIANOS.

New Designs

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# CITY OF PARIS

## HOLIDAY GOODS.

We Display Monday (Tomorrow) Morning, Large Lines in the Following Departments Suitable for

## Christmas Gifts.

### FANCY GOODS DEPARTMENT.

Finest and Newest Styles in Gold and Silver Plush Cases, Gold Gilt Linings, Plush Opera-Glass Cases, Real Bronze, Alligator Leather Back, Wood Rules in Plush Cases, Bronze Cameo Mounts, Gilt, Silver Mounts, Gilt Shapes, Silver Mounted Shapes, Gilt or Silver Mounted Shapes, Gilt or Silver Mounted Paper Knives, Gilt or Silver Mounted Paper Weights, Gilt or Silver Mounted Pen Holders, Gilt or Silver Mounted Pencil Cases, Gilt or Silver Mounted Seals, Gilt or Silver Mounted Rulers, Gilt or Silver Mounted Inkstands, Gilt or Silver Mounted Blotters, Gilt or Silver Mounted Calendars, Gilt or Silver Mounted Thermometers, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Paper Weights, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Inkstands, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Blotters, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Calendars, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Thermometers, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Rulers, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Pencil Cases, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Seals, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Paper Knives, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Pen Holders, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Shapes, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Boxes, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Trays, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Vases, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Cups, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Saucers, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Plates, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Bowls, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Dishes, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Spoons, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Forks, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Knives, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Scissors, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Razors, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Combs, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Brushes, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Mirrors, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Frames, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Pictures, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Engravings, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Chromos, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Lithographs, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Photographs, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Daguerreotypes, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Ambrotypes, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Tintypes, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Cartes de Visite, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Cabinet Photographs, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Stereoscopic Views, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Stereoscopic Slides, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Stereoscopic Cards, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Stereoscopic Pictures, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Stereoscopic Engravings, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Stereoscopic Chromos, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Stereoscopic Lithographs, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Stereoscopic Photographs, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Stereoscopic Daguerreotypes, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Stereoscopic Ambrotypes, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Stereoscopic Tintypes, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Stereoscopic Cartes de Visite, Gilt or Silver Mounted Glass Stereoscopic

# THE FINANGIAL EARTHQUAKE

Has shaken all courage out of manufacturers. This page tells of mighty cash purchases made by

## SEA IN THE MIDST OF IT!

Now were such values offered, never such terrific losses; this page gives but slight idea of it; the whole paper would not suffice to tell the story; and cheap as were our former prices they seemed high when compared with these purchases, necessitating MARKING DOWN EVERYTHING IN SEA'S ENTIRE PREMISES.

THE
**Dress Goods!**
Bombazines, Those Prices Only
AT SEA'S
State Street Store
56, 58, and 60-in. Fabrics
REDUCED TO FIVE!
Robed Cashmeres, 2 cts.
Robed Bombazines, 2 cts.
Robed Diagonals, 2 cts.
Robed Bombazines, 2 cts.

Double Width Cashmere
Rich Triple Black Cashmere | 12½
Rich Silk Cashmere | Cts.
ONE SHILLING.

Irish English Cashmere,
Were the Finest and Most Fine Fabric
$1.00, reduced from 50.

Cases Imported Plaids,
42-Inch, New Styles,
Reduced from 50 cts. to 25.

ONE CASE, 50 PIECES
54-Inch French Cashmere,
Reduced to 49 cts.

FANCY BILLIARD CLOTH,
2 Cases, All Wool, Fine Quality,
48 in., reduced from 89 cts.

1 CASE, ARRIVED
All-Wool Plaids!
Are your eyes all right, either because with big value were sent $1.50.
Just 50 cts. at Sea's.
Have been Sold, Less Import Advertisement Cannot Be Shown in Chicago. Compare.
Fifty-nine Cents.

BATTLING BARGAINS IN
Black Goods!
Best Double Twist Cashmeres, 42-in. wide, 25 cts.
Best All-Wool Cashmeres, 38 cts.
All the Best Grades, All Widths, French Serges, 25 cts.
Fine English Cashmeres, 39 cts.
Fine 46-in. Storm Serges, 25 cts.

ON SEA'S
Remnant Counters,
Are Lots from Goods, Black and Colors,
AT THIRD REGULAR PRICES.
Whole Dress Goods Stock
Mightily Reduced!
Whole Silk Stock
Reduced immediately, and most of it 50 cts. on the $1.

THREE BARGAIN LOTS!
25 cts. | 50 cts.! | $1.00!
At Twenty-five Cents,
25 cts.
Colored Dress Silks,
Fancy Dress Silks,
Black Dress Satins,
Colored Dress Satins,
All Shades Trimming Satins,
Black Silk Brocades,
Colored Velveteens,
Black Velveteens,
&c., &c., &c., &c.
And at Fifty.
50 cts.
Black Dress Grain Silks,
Colored Dress Grain Silks,
Black Silk Brocades,
Colored Silk Brocades,
All-Black Plushes in Blacks,
All-Black Plushes in Colors.
And the Dollar Lot.
$1.00!
Belding's Black Silks,
Brainard's Black Silks,
Royal Standard Silks,
Colored Silks,
Fancy Velvets,
Etc., Etc.

THE
**Flannels, Blankets,**
AND
**Winter Underwear**
AT SEA'S
State-st. Store.

All-Wool Red Flannel, 12½c; reduced from 25.
Heavy Twilled Red Flannel, 19c; and all four grades reduced 33 per cent.
Gray Shaker Flannels reduced in all grades; 25-in. quality now 14.
Canton Flannels 5c yard.
10-4 White Bed Blankets 69c pair; reduced from $1.00 and worth $1.25.
Six-Color Blankets reduced to $2.50 pair; competitors ask double.
Our Eight-Color Wool Blankets, reduced to $3.75 a week ago, now cut to $3.00 pair.
Full-sized Comforts, 69c.
Gentlemen's Underwear, extra weight—skirts only made by New Britain Co. and warranted 2-thread, $1.75; reduced from $2.
Gents' All-Wool Scarlet Medicated Shirts and Drawers' 69c; reduced from $1.
Gents' Scotch Gray Shirts and Drawers 50c; reduced from 65c.
Gents' Camel's Hair Shirt-Sizes 50c; reduced from 75c.
Gents' Fancy Silk Suspenders 49c; reduced from $1.
Gents' Fancy French Percale Shirts, 2 collars and cuffs, pat. back and sleeve, 69c; reduced from $1.00.
Ladies' Scarlet Vests and Pants, all wool and strictly first quality, 69c; reduced from $1.25.
Ladies' White Merino Underwear, vest and pants, all sizes, from 39 to 42, 39c; reduced from 69c.
Ladies' Finest English Cashmere Hose, assorted colors and black, 19c; former price $1.19 and $1.24.
Ladies' Cashmere Wool Hose, regular made, assorted colors, 25c; reduced from 49c.
Ladies' Merino Hose 19c; scarlet, wool, every hose; reduced from 39c.

AND SO IT GOES,
All the way through.

Note the Reductions in Linens.

Half-Bleached Damask Table Damasks, 54 inches wide, reduced from 94c to 39c.
Mission Towels, all linen, size 24 by 44, 12c; reduced from 25c.
18x36 Knotted Fringe Towels 12c; reduced from 25c.
Our $1.00 All-Linen Napkins reduced to 69c a-c.

All Curtains Cut in Two,
And, to make it more interesting,
Curtain Poles Free with Each Pair.
Vase, Poles, Rings, Ends, and Brackets complete.
One $5.00 Nottingham Lace Curtains reduced to this sale.
So are now the finest prices, now they're go etc., for $2.50 are not to turn saddle these 50 cts. And all others marked down same way. $3.50 are divided by two—$1.75 ets. $4.00 are divided by two—$2 ets. $4.50 are divided by two—$2.25 ets. $5.00 are divided by two—$2.50 ets. And so on up to the last ones at $10, which will be sold at $5.00.

5c Per Yard
For any pair Nottingham Lace, in the top quality; go for the 25c quality; the two-and-quarter; the $3 per grade, which will be sold at $1.50.

Entire Upholstery Stock Reduced.
ALSO
Every Yard of Carpet
IN SEA'S PREMISES.
Magnificent $1.00 yd. Body Brussels, $0.50 yd. Tapestry Brussels, 39c yd. Extra Wool Ingrains, 39c yd. Good Ingrains, 25c yd. Cotton Ingrains, 19c yd. Cottage Rag Carpets, 19c yd. Regular Moquettes, 39c yd. Cotton Moquettes, 25c yd.
CARPETS ONE-THIRD LESS THAN COST
Of manufacture, also a large invoice of
Axminsters, Moquettes, Velvets, Brussels Rugs.
ALL AT
ONE-HALF PRICES
AT SEA'S
SIX FLOORS.

SEA'S
**CLOAKS!**
Wonderfully changed in prices.
Reduced, 75 cts. Reduced, Children's Cloaks, 4, 5, 6 years.
Reduced, $1.00 Reduced, Misses' Cloaks, 11, 13, 15 years.
Reduced, $1.50 Reduced, Children's Newmarkets, 4, 5, 6 years.
Reduced, $1.75 Reduced, 13 Ladies' Perfect-Fitting Walking Jackets, 32 to 40 bust measure.
Reduced, $2.00 Reduced, Misses' Newmarkets, 11, 13, 15, 17 years.
$2.95
For your choice of a variety of Ladies' Dolmans and Newmarkets worth $5.00 and $6.00.
20 Ladies' Black Beaver Dolmans, full Fur trimmed, length sweep $5.00 and $6.00.
75 Ladies' Fancy Cloth Newmarkets, new cut and, with Plush Collars and Cuffs, handsome effects, length sweep $5.00, worth $8.00 and $10.00.
75 Ladies' All-Wool Diagonal Walking Jackets, perfect fitting, all sizes, length sweep $5.00, worth $8.00 and $10.00.
75 Misses' and Children's All-Wool Plaid Newmarkets, length sweep $5.00, worth $8.00 and $10.00.
Reduced, $3.95 Reduced, 50 Ladies' Black Diagonal Newmarkets, all Ladies' Oxford Gray Beaver Newmarkets.
Reduced, $5.00 Reduced, Ladies' Matelasse Newmarkets, Tourist Back, with handsome ornaments.
Reduced, $12.00 Reduced, Misses' Embroidered Slippers, Patent Leather Backs, 11c; reduced from $1.48.
Ladies' Polished Goat Button Shoes, $1.00; reduced from $2.00.
Ladies' Kid Button Shoes, worth $2.25; reduced from $3.00.
Ladies' Glove-Top Kid Button Shoes, $1.75; reduced from $3.00.
Our Fine Silk Plush Cloaks reduced to $15.00, $17.50, $20.00, and $25.00.
Reduced, $2.00 Reduced, All-Wool Plaid or Plain Beaver Cloaks.
25 cts. All Fancy Felt Hat Shapes reduced from 50 and 75c.
25 cts. Ladies', Misses', and Children's Fancy Knit Wool Hoods.
Our 50c Ladies' Rubber Gossamers reduced to 25c.

FURS!
Mightily Reduced.
Black Russian Sable Trimming—4-inch, 25c; 6-inch, 40c; 8-inch, 50c; 9-inch, 60c.
100 Black Russian Sable Muffs reduced from $1 to 75c.
100 Black Russian Sable Muffs, fine Satin Lining, extra quality, 98c; reduced from $1.48.
250 Lined Black Sable Shoulder Collars at 98c.
100 Tailored Russian Sable Collars at 49c.
150 Sets French Muff and Boa, $5.00; worth $8.00.

All Shoes Reduced
Ladies', Children's, and Misses' Rubbers 10c pair.
Men's 60c Embroidered Slippers, 47c; reduced from $1.25.
Ladies' Opera Slippers (worth $1.00) now 47c.
Children's Polished Goat Button Shoes, 65c; reduced from 98c.
Misses' Polished Goat School Shoes, 98c; reduced from $1.48.
Ladies' Embroidered "Oxfords" and Satin "Pumps," 98c; reduced from $1.48.
Men's Embroidered Slippers, Patent Leather Backs, 69c; reduced from $1.48.
Ladies' Polished Goat Button Shoes, $1.00; reduced from $2.00.
Ladies' Kid Button Shoes, worked toes, heels, $1.25; reduced from $2.00.
Ladies' Glove-Top Kid Button Shoes, $1.75; reduced from $3.00.

China and Glass
AGAIN REDUCED.
Kloka Tete-a-Tete Sets, 69c; were 98c.
French China Comptoirs, hand-painted, 49c; reduced from $1.00.
Paper Optic Vases, 9 inches high, gold decorations, 19c; reduced from 49c.
Jap Tea Pots were 19c, now 9c.
Decorated Cups and Saucers, 9c; reduced from 19c.
Decorated Cups and Saucers, 19c; reduced from 39c.
Imitation Cut Glass Ice Cream Sets, 75c—have sticked glazed handle; reduced from $1.00.
Royal Ice Shakers, 19c; reduced from 39c.
Large Fancy Tin Comptoirs, 19c; reduced from 39c.
Fancy Tin Crumb Trays and Brushes, 19c; reduced from 39c.

Great Reduction Sale in Every Dept.
AT SEA'S
SIX FLOORS. STATE-ST.

THE
**Handkerch'fs.**
AT SEA'S
STATE STREET STORE.
The regular work of Lake Shore, combined with the trade of a failed importer, is now
Great Holiday Offering.
2,700 Dozen
HANDKERCHIEFS
TO BE SLAUGHTERED.
5 cts.
The Fancy Border all Linen and "Unions" Ladies' Embroidered and Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, reduced from 10 and 12½ cts.
8 cts.
For All-Linen Fancy Border Hemstitched, reduced from 15 and 18 cts.
10 cts.
For Fancy Border Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, reduced from 20 and 25 cts.

12½ cts.
Fancy Border Hemstitched, Fancy Scalloped Hemstitched, Plain Tucked Silk Hemstitched, Sheer Fine White Hemstitched, Reduced from 25 and 29 cts.
15 cts.
For Fancy Border Linen Hemstitched, reduced from 30 cts.
20 cts.
For Fine Fancy Border Hemstitched, reduced from 35 and 40 cts.
25 cts.
For Fancy Sheer Linen Hemstitched, reduced from 40 and 45 cts.
35 cts.
50 cts.
For Very Fine Embroidered Handkerchiefs, reduced from 75 cts., $1 cts., and $1.00.
50 cts.
For Different styles of very rich Extended Silk Handkerchiefs, reduced from 75 cts., $1 cts., and $1.00.

$1.00.
Great sale of High-Cost Silk Handkerchiefs, including all our finest creations sold all over for $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $2.00, $2.25, $2.50, and $3.00. Your choice of all for $1.00.

Ribbons Lower Still!
Ribbons advertised last week at 10 now 5c
Ribbons advertised last week at 12 now 6c
Ribbons advertised last week at 15 now 7c
Ribbons advertised last week at 19 now 9c
Ribbons advertised last week at 25 now 12c
Ribbons advertised last week at 29 now 14c
Ribbons advertised last week at 39 now 19c
Plush Ribbons at One-Half Last Week's Prices.
Please bear in mind when reading prices quoted that these are the finest Silk Plush, backed with Purest All-Silk Satin, and in a complete assortment of colors.
Who can't touch with (four cts), 8c.
Who can't touch with (five cts), 10c.
Who can't touch with (six cts), 12c.
Who can't touch with (seven cts), 14c.
Who can't touch with (eight cts), 16c.
Who can't touch with (nine cts), 18c.
Who can't touch with (ten cts), 20c.
Who can't touch with (twelve cts), 24c.
Who can't touch with (fifteen cts), 30c.
Who can't touch with (twenty cts), 40c.
ALL SILKEST LUSTROUS FANCY RIBBONS sold last Monday at 25c per yard at sea the great clothes.
Another Deep Cut in Prices for Materials for Art Fancy Work.
In this department we are prepared to show ALL THE LATEST NOVELTIES in
Plush Dolls, Plush Splints, Plush Cosmetics, Shell Flowers, Silk Cord, Chenille Cord, Silk Braid, Ingrain Wool, Zig Wool, Arasene, Fancy Chenille, Crewels, Soutache, Gimps, etc., etc.

A Mighty Reduction Sale
AT SEA'S,
STATE STREET. SIX FLOORS.

IMPORTER'S STOCK OF
**ALBUMS**
AT SEA'S
State-st. Store.
One-Half Last Week's Prices!
50 cts. Reduced from $1.00.
Full Cabinet Size, Handsomely Bound, Many of Leather and Plush, Gilt Edges, Round Corners, Elegantly Lined.
75 cts. Reduced from $1.50.
Full Cabinet Size, 50th Plush Albums! Handsome Leather Bound Cabinet Album, round, Silk Corners, an Elegant Gem, Beveled Gold Edge Mounts, and Elegantly Finished throughout.
$1.00 Reduced from $2.00.
Fine Morocco Bound Albums, holding 4 cabinets, and 12 cards, with Beveled Edge Mounts, and Gold Edges, 4 mounts with Autograph Panel. Sold by competitors at from $2.50 (Sea's price $1.00).
$1.25 for Our $2.50 Albums.
$1.50 Reduced from $3.00.
Large, Painted, Morocco-Bound Album, holding 24 cabinets and 48 cards, with Silver-Plated Corners (as cut).
This Magnificent $6.00 Album for $2.50.
Holding 48 cabinets, 4 panels, and 24 cards. Worth a Hundred Six Painted Plush.
$2.00. Reduced from $4.00.

$2.00.
$2.50 Reduced from $5.00.
Fine Binding of Six Painted Plush panels, elaborately ornamented with Silk Embroidered Flowers, panels all cabinets or cabinets and cards.
$3.00 Reduced from $6.00.
Massive Painted Silk Plush in Scarlet, for either 48 cabinets or 100 cards and cards.
Fine Silk Panelled Painted Cut Beveled Mirrors, Beveled Gold Edge Mounts, holding cards, cabinets, and $6.00 have panels.
HOLDS PATENT PLUSH PHOTAL ALBUMS.
With Nickel Trimmed Plush Rod for the Album when opened; works automatically. Beveled are not Beveled to Bulges.
Sea's price $10.00.
Dolls at One-Third Value!
5,000 Lovely Dolls and perfect Dolls in Five Bargain Lots!
5 cts. Reduced from 10, 12, & 15 cts.
Parasol, Automobile, Dolls, Muslin Dolls, Kid Limbs, Dress and Bonnet.
Chine Cloth Dolls, Stuffed Bodies, Light Sleeper Heads or Jingle Dress.
Lot of Large Wax Dolls.
TEN CENTS.
Wax, China Limbs, and Parasol Dolls reduced from 15 and 20 cts.
25 cts.; reduced from 49 cts., 50 cts. and 65 cts.
Fine Wax Dolls, 2 feet long, curly bodies with real Hair, 25 cts.; opening eyes, unbreakable arms and legs, and Model Wax Dolls.
Dress Assortment Unbreakable Dolls with Kid Limbs and Sitting Bodies.
50c, Reduced from 98c and $1.25.
Mother Wax Dolls 20 inches Tall.
French Jointed Dolls—Sleeper Heads.
Fine French Sleeper Jointed Dolls with long hair.
75 cts. Reduced from $1.48 and $1.75.
Full Model Wax Dolls, in Silk Dress, French Kid Body Dolls, Moving Eyes, Sleeper Heads, Model Wax Legs, Model Wax Parts Dolls, three feet high.
These Dolls actually give 100 cts. value—must be seen to be appreciated, as the values are positively not exaggerated.
Monster Reduction Sale of Fancy Goods and Toys.
58c FOR

THIS WILL

Great Reduction Sale
Books, Fancy Goods, Toys,
AT SEA'S
**WABASH**
AVENUE
HOLIDAY BAZAAR!

Illustrated Stories from Wide-Awake!
Over 900 pages, 400 Illustrations, Bound in Boards, reduced from 60 cts. to 25 cts.
BUTTERCUPS AND DAISIES!
The most charming Book of the year, Colored Plates, Handsomely Framed, for $1.19; regular price $2.00.
Presents for Boys and Girls!
Five Superb Books, Illustrated with Colored Plates, beautifully and artistically Bound, 98 cts.,
Robinson Crusoe,
Grimm's Fairy Tales,
Andersen's Fairy Tales,
Tom Brown's School Days,
Dickens' Child's History England.
The above books are published at $2.50 each.
All the Popular Chatterbox Series below all competitors. Complete Set Dickens, 14 volumes, substantially Bound in Cloth, $5.00.
Five Sets Thackeray, Eliot, Waverly Novels, and all the Standard works at 40 cts. on the Dollar.

THE
**Fancy Goods**
Greatly Reduced.
98 cts. Silk Plush Glove Box, Satin-Lined, including fancy Glove Stretcher.
98 cts. Celluloid Comb and Brush in Satin-Lined Case.
98 cts. Florentine Mirror, Fine Brush and Comb in Satin-Lined Box.
98 cts. Florentine Pin Brush and Comb in Satin-Lined Case.
98 cts. Fancy Figured Satin Whisk Broom and Pin Holder, hand-painted, and each cushion in case.
98 cts. Silk Plush Whisk-Broom Holders, in novel shapes, reduced from $1.25 to 98 cts.
98 cts. Adjustable Framed Glass Screens, magnifying both, richly original carved pimple of glossy oak.
98 cts. Tete-a-tete Glass Cake Baskets, in Plush and Satin effect.
98 cts. Cut Glass Bottle, silvered in two patterns, on plush base.
98 cts. English Quilted Leather Jewel Boxes, with trade monogram and silk velvet lounge.
75 cts. Standard Student's Set, on nicely finished cloth.
98 cts. Antique Bronze Framed Plate Glass Mirror, elegant with silk Plush, reduced from $2.00; this week only.
98 cts. Hand-Painted Porcelain Placques, in Napoleon Grand Opera.
98 cts. Glass Liquor Stand, decorated in Gold, in Silk Shadows, with half dozen glasses to match (gilt rim, fan decorated).
75 cts. The entirely new Ornamental Brass Book-Shaped Calendar, Photo Pictures, reduced from $1.00.
Holland's Tablet Set, Ivory Brush and Comb in Satin-Lined Case.
Solid Leather Cuff and Collar Boxes.
75 cts. Silk Plush Whisk Box, satin lined and fancy fittings.
75 cts. Silk Plush Jewel Case, satin lined, two compartments.
Large Square Leatherette Writing Desk, with nickel trimmings, reduced from $1.50 to 75 cts.

THE TOYS
GREATLY REDUCED
AT SEA'S.
Crandall's Mammoth Building Blocks, 50c; reduced from 98c.
Chess Tea Set, consisting of 6 large cups and saucers, 6 plates, coffee pot, cream and sugar, size of tea spoon inches, 25c; reduced from $1.00.
Billiard Board, with 4 pockets, 2 cues, 2 balls, chalk, rubber, 79c; reduced from $1.48.
Agate Inclined Railway, with marbles, 79c; reduced from $1.00.
Fine Upright Piano, 69c; reduced from 98c.
Large Tin Mechanical Locomotive, 50c; reduced from 98c.
Boy's Banjo, rubber head, 69c; reduced from $1.00.
Chord Toy, sold by toy stores at 50c; our price 19c.
Game of Parcheesi, complete 50c; reduced from 98c.
Fine Black Embossed Dominoes, round edge, 50c; reduced from 98c.
Iron Banks Reduced—Kicking Mule, Cowcatcher, Humpty-Dumpty, Punch and Judy, Baby Mine, Jumbo, etc., reduced to 50c, 25c, and 19c.
The Jewel Printing Press, with type, cards, ink, and everything complete, $1.00; reduced from $1.98.
Genuine Rubber Hammocks, in bright Indian plaids, silver trays, 69c.
Double-Barrel Paper-Cap Gun, 30-inches long, nickel-plated barrel and locks, 50c; reduced from 98c.
Junior Toy Bank, regular price $1.00; our price 50c.
13-inch Brass Shaft, 75c.
25c Brass or Wood Drums, 10c.
Laundry Sets, 25c.
Tiny Washtub, Wringer, Pail, Scrub-Brush, Clothes-Rack, etc., all complete; reduced from 49c to 25c.
Magic Lanterns, with Views, 49c.
"Riverside" Large Wood Steamboat, reduced from 49c to 25c.
Crandall's Sectional A, B, C Blocks; reduced from 49c to 25c.
Exhibition Wagon, with two horses, large $1 toy; reduced to 49c.
"Put Fur the Shore"—A band of darkies in Large Boat on Wheels, another large, bright $1 toy for 49c.
Large Dolls' Trunks reduced to 49c.
BUY CHRISTMAS TOYS
This very week, don't delay longer.
AT SEA'S
BAZAAR, HOLIDAY BAZAAR.

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# Grand Opening Display!

## HOLIDAY GOODS.

Tomorrow morning, Monday, Dec. 3, we will begin our special Opening Sale and Exhibition of one of the most popular assortments of

## CHRISTMAS NOVELTIES!

Toys, Books, &c., ever shown in this city.

Our spacious and magnificent salesrooms—the most ample in the country—will be literally crowded with thousands upon thousands of new and choice Holiday Goods, both useful and ornamental.

Customers will also experience special comfort and pleasure in visiting our establishment, as our broad and capacious aisles permit of no jostling or crowding which make shopping during the holiday season a task in many stores. Our stock of Christmas Goods is so complete and systematic that customers cannot fail to make appropriate and satisfactory selections, while our prices are simply

## BELOW COMPETITION!

We know it, and a visit of inspection will prove it beyond any question. Not only will you find our prices lower, but our goods are all new and choice.

### A Visit of Inspection Invited.

Beautiful Gift Books,
Historics,
Novels,
Juvenile Tales,
Nursery Rhymes,
Wood and Paper Games
Of every description,
Boys' Billiard Sets,
Parlor Quoits,
Puzzles,
Charades,
Building Blocks,
Spelling Blocks,
Checker Boards,
Domino Sets,
Cribbage Sets,
Mechanical Toys,
Of every description,
Tool Chests,
Printing Presses,
Magic Lanterns,
Savings Banks,
Chess Tables,
Sleds,
Hobby Horses,
Express Wagons,
Writing Desks,
Stereoscopes,
Graphoscopes,
Toy Pianos,
Child's Furniture Sets
And China Tea Sets,
Dolls' Furniture Sets,
Japanese Toys,
Of all kinds,
Photograph Albums,
Autograph Albums,
Scrap Albums,
Easels and Frames,
In Plush, Bronze, &c.,
Picture Frames
In Plush and Brass,
Odor Stands,
Dressing Cases,
Jewel Cases,
Necessaries,
Manicure and
Nail Sets,
Shaving Sets,
Tourists' Sets,
Collar and
Cuff Sets,
Brush and
Comb Sets,
Smokers' Tables,
Smokers' Sets,
Card Cases,
Card Receivers,
Plush Tablets,
Ash Receivers,
Match Stands
And Boxes,
Thermometers,
Mantel Clocks,
Ink Stands.

Paper Weights,
Calendars,
Opera
Glasses,
Bronze
Plaques,
Hand-Painted
China Plaques,
Plush and Bronze
Mirrors,
Bronze Ornaments,
Ornamental
Candle Sticks,
Whisk Broom
Holders,
Bronzed
Holders,
Pocket Books,
Purses,
Portemonnaies,
Letter Cases,
Leather
Hand-Bags,
Music Rolls,
Music Folios,
Fans of
Every
Conceivable
Style,
Magic Figures,
Terra Cotta Lamps,
China Dinner Sets,
Lamps and
Chandeliers,
Glove and
Handkerchief Boxes,
Satchels,
Gold Pens
And Pencils,
Christmas
Cards and Mottoes,
Gold Headed Canes,
Watches,
Chatelaine Watches,
Silk Umbrellas,
Embroidered
Slippers,
Sleeve
Pinbers,
Napkin
Rings,
Tea Sets,
Forks and
Spoons,
Castors,
Fancy
Work Baskets,
Fancy Stand
Work Baskets,
Infants' Baskets,
Lunch Baskets,
Office Baskets,
Fancy Hand Baskets,
Japanese Baskets.

DAVIS & MORSE CO.,
State and Van Buren-sts.

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IN OUR
## Cloak Department
WE WILL PLACE ON SALE
Monday Morning, Dec. 3,
THE
## Greatest Bargains
IN
## Ladies' Jerseys
EVER OFFERED IN CHICAGO.

One doz. Ladies' Black Jerseys, in heavy winter weights, sizes 32 to 44 inch,

At 55c each.

Worth $1.00.

One doz. Ladies' Black Braided Jerseys, heavy weight, all sizes,

At 85c each.

Worth $1.25.

Also Our Entire Stock of
## Ladies' and Children's Cloaks
At an absolute reduction of prices below cost.

These are without doubt the GREATEST values in the above goods ever offered in Chicago.

DAVIS & MORSE CO.,
State and Van Buren-sts.

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GREAT
## HOLIDAY SALE
## HD'K'FS!

10 A. M.

Commencing Monday, Dec. 3, we will offer our entire stock of

$4 Hd'kfs!
$3 Hd'kfs!
$2 Hd'kfs!

Finest Goods Imported!

AT ANOTHER
## OVERWHELMING Attraction!

All at 75c

SCHLESINGER AND MAYER.
State and Madison-sts.

BROWN'S
## IRON BITTERS!
THE BEST TONIC!

All Ye Weak and Dispirited
ARE INVITED TO TRY
## AREND'S KUMISS.

## CANDY

OPENING
OF
## HOLIDAY GOODS!
## MANDEL BROTHERS

LEATHER BAGS, for Ladies and Misses, the most complete assortment imaginable, made of Plush, Seal, Alligator, Russia, Egyptian, Stamped, Seal, and Suede, at prices ranging from 50c to $15.00 each.

PORTEMONNAIES & Pocket-Books, Silk Purses, Hand-Painted and Embroidered Cigar and Cigarette Cases, Match Cases, Card Cases for Ladies and Gentlemen.

JEWELRY-BOXES, made of Plush and Leather, also Collar and Cuff Boxes, Gloves & Handkerchief Boxes, Rich Candy Connections, Inkstands of Leather.

DRESSING CASES. This useful and ornamenting convenience we have paid special attention to, and can justly claim of having a beautiful selection. We have many exclusive European novelties attached with sterling fittings, filled gorgeously.

MANICURE SETS will form an attractive gift. Our variety is very large, and we have from the humble 25c set up to the diplomatic $25 set—every style in demand.

PERFUMES in fine Plush and Leather Cases, also in Jugs and Painted Bottles; Ladies' and Gents' Traveling Sets, Fine Brushes, Combs, etc.

We cordially invite our patrons to
INSPECT
These goods are purchasing.

OLDEN TIMES

The formula by which Mishler's Herb Bitters is compounded is over two hundred years old, and of German origin. The entire range of proprietary medicines cannot produce a preparation that equals or can be substituted for it with the same degree of success.

## MISHLER'S HERB BITTERS.

It is the best remedy for Kidney and Liver Complaints, Dyspepsia, Craving for Stimulants, Indigestion, Weakness, Intermittent Fever, Rheumatism, &c. It is a Blood Purifier, it has no equal. It tones the system, strengthens, invigorates and gives new life.

Mishler Herb Bitters Co.,
Manufacturers,
Philadelphia.

Mishler's Pleasant Worm Syrup Never Fails.

Holiday Goods.
Exquisite
Silver
Watches.
Clocks!
Books!
Sat Geo. Eliot
8 Vols. Cloth,
Superb Type,
$5.00.

PAEDERICK'S MAIN STORE.

TO RENT—STORES

MANDEL BROTHERS

## Dress Goods Departm't.

POWERFUL

## Mark-Down!

OF OUR
ENTIRE STOCK
OF
## Fine Dress Goods
Monday Morning.

All our $1.25 and $1.50 48-inch All-Wool Cheviot Suitings, Tricots, Tricots, Cheviot Suitings, Tricots, Suitings, Tricots, Tricots, Tricots, Reduced to 75c per yd.

All our $1 and $1.25 44-inch All-Wool Venetian Jerseys and Tricot Cloths, Reduced to $1.25 per yd.

ALL OUR
## PARIS NOVELTIES
This Year's Importation,
At Half-Price!

A visit to our Dress Goods Department cannot fail to interest you.

## Candies Are Down.
SIMMS,
THE
CONFECTIONER,
56 State-St.,
Is selling his Celebrated Cough Candies at 20c per Pound.
Hoarhound Cough Drops.
Ice Moss Cough Drops.
Pine Tar Cough Drops.
Wild Cherry Cough Drops.
Malt Cough Drops.
Flaxseed Cough Drops.
Made from a compound with the same, and have not gelatine.
ABSOLUTELY PURE AND ALWAYS FRESH.
Lemon Drops, Wine Drops, Lady Fingers, Butter Scotch, Molasses Peppermints, Wintergreen Candy, Cream Candy, Vanilla and Strawberry, Vermont Maple Cream, all at
## 20c Per Pound.
Broken Stick Candy in 5 Pound Pkgs., ONLY 50c.
Broken Mixed Candy, 10c a Pound, TWO POUNDS 25c.
OUR EXTRA FINE HOLIDAY MIXTURE AT 10c A POUND.
Wax Candles 25c a Box. Christmas Tree Ornaments in Great Variety.
CONFECTIONERY MOTTOES 100 A BOX.
New Imported French Prints 10c a Box.

CENTRAL HAIR-HALL HAIR STORE.
GREAT REDUCTION IN
## HAIR GOODS
WAVES AND BANGS.
SWITCHES.
E. BURNHAM,
71 State St.
CENTRAL HAIR-HALL HAIR STORE.
FOREIGN ART.

OPENING
OF
## HOLIDAY GOODS!
## MANDEL BROTHERS

JEWELRY, for Ladies and Gents. We make a specialty of fine and medium-priced imported Jewelry, which cannot be found elsewhere.

ATTENTION is called to a line of Venetian and Florentine Mosaic Jewelry, English Silver Jewelry, French Fleur-Wave, Vienna Painted Jewelry, etc.

OPERA-GLASSES, new and unique patterns and designs; Glasses from the celebrated maker Lemaire.

FANS to beautify an art gallery. Ostrich Feather Fans at $4.75, worth $8, and at higher prices. Fine Painted Fans. A large variety of Children's Fans.

CANES for Gentlemen, a very acceptable Holiday Gift. We show exceptional English Novelties.

UMBRELLAS. In this branch of our business we have acquired a reputation for excellence of assortment and lowness of price. Many exquisite Handles, entirely new.

PLUSH Cabinets, filled with finest Cream Writing-Paper and Envelopes, at 95c and $1.75 each.

SCISSOR CASES, with Henkel's celebrated Scissors, a most useful present.

Want of space limits our description. Please pay us a visit and
INSPECT.

## WEST SIDE STORE.

SELLING OUT PRICES!

Lambs and Foul Linen 6 1/2c
Prints 4 1/2c
Cotton Flannels 4 1/2c
Red Twilled Flannels 6 1/2c
Cotton Batts 6 1/2c
Extra Quality Unbleached 7c
Canton Batts Towels 6 1/2c
Ladies' and Men's Ribbed Jacket Wool Underwear 37c
Full Regular Underwear Wool Scarfs (Ladies', Men's & Children's), all at 15c
Wool Gloves at 15c
Knitted Mitts at 15c
Silk Mitts at 25c

West Side Store.

## Schlesinger & Mayer,
Madison and Desplaines-sts.

EPPS'S COCOA.

# COUTANT'S. ☪ COUTANT'S.

## GOING OUT OF BUSINESS!

## A POSITIVE AND BONA FIDE SALE!

# 25% Discount

## ON ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS' WORTH

Of Fine Millinery Goods, Cloaks, Corsets, Jewelry, Fans, Trimmings, Buttons, Gloves, Linens, Towels, Blankets, Flannels, Perfumery, Soap, Toilet Articles, Plush and Leather Toilet Cases, Leather Shopping Bags and Pocket Books, Nail Sets, Comb and Brush Sets, Odor Cases, Combs, Brushes, Hand Mirrors, Etc., comprising the entire stock in above departments, will be sold at a uniform discount of

# 25%

One-fourth off present marked prices. Not a few special articles at a low price, but any and every article contained in the COUTANT STORE, with the exception of Laces, Hamburgs, Hosiery, and Merino Underwear, will be sold at this great reduction in price. The business at the Coutant Store will be discontinued February 1st, and we believe this to be the fairest way to give every customer the advantage of the low prices. You may not be in want of a Hat, but you may wish to buy a Fan for a Christmas Present. You may not care for a Cloak this winter, but you may purchase a Fine Lace Pin or Hair Ornament. You may have decided that you have Blankets enough for this winter, but Christmas is coming, and you no doubt feel that you must buy a Fine Set of Jewelry or a pair of the latest style in Bracelets for some friend as a Christmas present. To all the departments mentioned we invite your attention, for all in stock must and will be sold.

# 25% Discount

ON ALL OUR HATS, FLOWERS, AND FEATHERS.

# 25% DISCOUNT

ON OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF CLOAKS, JERSEYS, CHILDREN'S CLOAKS, AND ALL KINDS OF WINTER GARMENTS.

# 25% DISCOUNT

ON ALL STYLES OF CORSETS, BOTH IMPORTED AND DOMESTIC.

# 25% DISCOUNT

ON ZEPHYRS, YARNS, TABLE COVERS, PIANO COVERS, AND ALL KINDS OF GOODS USUALLY KEPT IN THIS DEPARTMENT.

# 25% DISCOUNT

ON TRIMMINGS, BUTTONS, NOTIONS, FRINGES, GLOVES, ETC.

# 25% DISCOUNT

On the Finest Stock of Jewelry, Fans, Ball Pins, Hair Ornaments, Sleeve Buttons, Collar Buttons, Rhinestone Bracelets, Necklaces, Pins and Drops, Crape Jewelry, Real Shell Combs and Hair Pins, Steel and Iridescent Buckles, Gilt Jewelry, and Guilford Cloak Clasps, Ostrich Feather Fans, Plain Satin Fans, Painted Fans, Children's Fans, Etc., ever shown in Chicago.

# 25% DISCOUNT

ON BLANKETS AND FLANNELS.

# 25% DISCOUNT

From Marked Prices on all our stock of Plush Goods in Toilet Cases, Comb and Brush Sets, Manicure Sets, Albums, Leather Shopping Bags, Pocket Books, Necessaries. This line of goods are all new, most of them having been received during the past week for Holiday Trade.

# 25% Discount

ON RIBBONS, PLUSHES, AND VELVETS.

## NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY!

And early purchasers will find great advantage in making their selections from a full stock. This is absolutely the GREATEST SACRIFICE in MERCHANDISE y[et] Chicago, when the low prices at which our goods are already marked is considered.

# COUTANT'S. - 145 STATE-S[T]

Parisian Suit Co.

# A TIMELY REDUCTION

IN

## SUITS, CLOAKS, AND FURS.

Something Worth While Reading,

AND OF

Great Importance to the Consumer.

A great many people, both rich and poor, are in the habit of delaying their purchases in our particular line until after Christmas or New Year's, knowing by experience that they can buy at a marked reduction from former prices, as every dealer is anxious to realize and turn the balance of his Winter stock into money. The only objection to this on the part of the economical buyer is that they have to wait until midwinter before they get the reduction, and consequently they lose the BENEFIT and PLEASURE of wearing the Cloak or Dress throughout the entire season—a very marked disadvantage, as oftentimes the article goes out of style and cannot be used the next year.

## Now to the Point of Our Advertisement.

Owing to the STAGNATION OF TRADE caused by the unseasonableness of the weather, Presidential year, overproduction of goods, or what not, we find that we have on hand too much stock—fully $40,000 more than we had this time a year ago—and propose this year to make the usual January cut in December, giving everybody a chance to buy now at the usual midwinter reduction, thereby having the full benefit of their purchases, including the direct saving.

We will therefore on Monday, the 8th of December, commence our Money-Losing Sale, and offer our entire stock, with the exception of our Seal Goods, at

# 20 Per Cent Reduction

From former prices, or the prices that have prevailed throughout the season.

OUR SEAL GOODS, comprising the largest and most varied ready-made stock in the city, we will reduce

## 15 Per Cent from Former Prices.

☞ Remember, every Dress or Cloak, whether Cloth or Silk, is reduced 20 per cent, and every article in the Fur line 15 per cent.

☞ Remember, this is a bonafide reduction, forced upon us by hard necessity.

☞ Remember, also, we have no old goods to offer you. Everything in our stock is fresh and new, and perfect style, as we never keep old-style goods in our Chicago House, our custom being to establish branches in country towns and dispose of them at whatever price they will bring.

If you cannot come the first part of the week, come when you can, as this sale will continue until we turn the larger portion of our magnificent stock, consisting of over a Quarter of a Million Dollars' worth of Dresses, Cloaks, and Seal Goods into CASH.

It is hardly necessary to say here that we must decline to give credit during this sale, but we make this explanation to our credit customers so there can be no misunderstanding. We would strongly advise a call early in the day, as we anticipate a great rush.

Respectfully,

Parisian Suit Co.

State and Monroe-sts., under Palmer House.

# THE FAIR. E. J. LEHMANN. THE FAIR.

## CHRISTMAS AND HOLIDAY OPENING!

## THE MOST BRILLIANT AND UNPRECEDENTED STORE IN CHICAGO

On Record for Prices, Choice Variety, and Quality Superlative, Prosperous and Successful!

## THE LARGEST STORE IN THE WORLD!

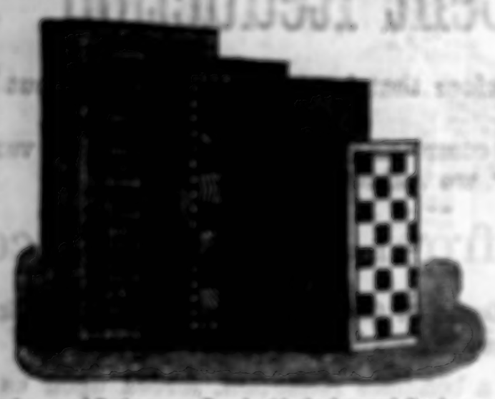
### GRAND CENTRAL LOCATION:

STATE STREET. ADAMS STREET. DEARBORN STREET.

### The Finest and Best Selected Assortment of Photograph Albums.

50c for a Silk Plush Album, card size.
85c for a large size Album for cabinets and cards.
75c for an extra fine Album, in calf, Russia or Morocco leather, and plush, with gilted flowers, cheap at $1.50.
$1.50 for an extra large size Album, in silk plush.
Extra fine assortment of Albums from $1.25 to $25; worth double.
35c for a leather-covered Autograph Album, highly ornamented.
25c for a large Scrap Book, handsomely decorated.
45c for a leather-covered Scrap Book, decorated in red and gold.

### Games of All Kinds.



5c for a good Backgammon Board, with checkers and dice box.
45c for a fine Backgammon Board, complete, finely bound in book form.
15c for a set of Bone-top Dominoes, in wood box.
95c for a fine boxwood set of chess, in fine wood box.
75c for a set of Go Bang.
90c for a game of Bull and Goose.
75c for the new game of Cats and Mice.
25c for a large set of Criss-Cross Spelling Blocks.
15c for a good set of Letts, in wood case.
10c for the game of Old Maid.
15c for the game of Gypsies.
5c for a full Deck of Cards.

### Just received, a large assortment of all the Latest Novelties in Baskets.

25c for a fine lined Work Basket.
50c for a large size Painted Knife Tray with two compartments.
25c for an extra large Painted Lunch Basket.
45c for a large size Willow Clothes Basket.
15c for a nice Set of Table Mats (three Mats in set).
45c for a large size Waste-Paper Basket.
15c for a full size Willow Wall Splasher.
75c for a fine Work Stand, cherry-stained.

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$1.50 for a complete Chamber Set, handsomely decorated, consisting of Chamber Pail, Foot Tub, and Water Carrier.
65c for a handsome Nickel-Plated Cuspidor.
25c for an elaborate Decorated Tea Tray, good size.
25c for a heavy Zinc Stove Board, medium size.
95c for a handsome Candlestick, solid brass.
25c for a Solid Brass Match Safe, handsomely decorated

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Tinware, Hardware,
Woodenware,
Willow Ware,
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Brushes, etc., etc.

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95c for a Brush and Comb Set, in leatherette case, lined in satin.
Plush Cases, with Comb, Brush, and Mirror, from $1.25, $1.48, and $2.
Other Cases, in Plush, 45c to $15.
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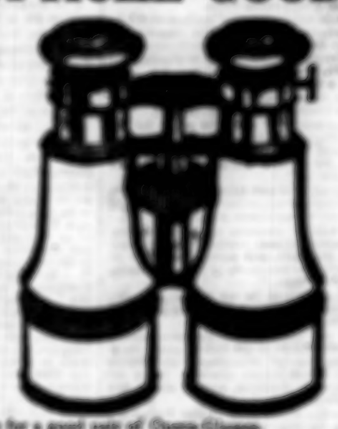
### Velvet and Plush Frames.

25c for a fine Plush Frame, cabinet size.
50c for an extra fine Plush Frame, handsomely trim'd.
95c for a fine Silk Plush Frame, worth double.
25c for a fine Stereoscope, with folding handles.
2c for Stereoscopic Views.

### OPTICAL GOODS.



95c for a good pair of Opera Glasses.
$1.45 for for an extra fine Opera Glass.
$2.45 for a pair of Opera Glasses of the best makes.
Reading Glasses from 10c, 15c, $1.25, and upwards.
Mathematical Instruments from 50c, 65c, $1.25, and upward.
25c for a pair of Spectacles.
50c for a pair of Steel Spectacles.
25c for a pair of Eye-Glasses.
50c for a pair of Steel Eye-Glasses.

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IN ALL KINDS OF

### INKSTANDS.

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READ THESE PRICES.

Lot 1, choice 5c; worth 25c. Lot 4, choice 25c; worth 50c.
Lot 2, choice 10c; worth 35c. Lot 5, choice 35c; worth 75c.
Lot 3, choice 15c; worth 45c. Lot 6, choice 75c; worth $1.25.
Lot 7, choice 25c; worth $1.
25c for a large Double Inkstand, nickel-plated.
75c for a large Inkstand with fine brass stand and glass bottle.
95c for a large Paper Weight representing a snowstorm.
25c for an extra fine Inkstand, cover and bottom for less than $1.25.

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AT PRICES LOWER THAN THE LOWEST.

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75c for a Genuine Meerschaum Pipe, good quality.
$1.50 for a Genuine Meerschaum Pipe, handsomely carved, and in silver mounts.
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Genuine Meerschaum Pipes, Cigar-Holders, Cigarette-Holders, etc., of the latest designs, at about one-half what others ask.

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## FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

**Parliamentary Obstruction Over the Redistribution Bill Not Likely to Be Pole.**

**The United Time of Commissioners Agents Develop Itself in Unhappy Events.**

**Lord Lonsdale Given to the British Tour—His Bill-Kennedy's Foothold in Africa.**

GREECE FOLLOW.

Athens, Dec. 6.—[Special.]—The Greek Assembly, which has been in session for some time past, has been prorogued by the King. The session has been a long and turbulent one. The Ministry has had a majority of about 30 votes, but the opposition has been very factious, and has made a great deal of trouble. The leader of the Opposition was Mr. Trikoupis, who was formerly Premier of Greece. He is a man of great ability, and is very unscrupulous. He is a confirmed drunkard, and is also a confirmed gambler. He has been in the habit of spending his winters at Monte Carlo, and has lost a large amount of money there. He is also a confirmed opium-eater. The Greek Assembly consists of 150 members, and the Ministry has a majority of 30 votes. The Opposition is composed of 120 members. The Ministry has been in power for about two years, and during that time it has passed a number of important measures. Among these is the Electoral bill, which provides for the election of Deputies by districts instead of by the whole country, as was formerly the case. The Ministry has also passed a bill providing for the construction of railroads, and has also passed a bill providing for the establishment of a National Bank. The Ministry has also passed a bill providing for the construction of a railroad from Athens to Larissa, and has also passed a bill providing for the construction of a railroad from Athens to Patras. The Ministry has also passed a bill providing for the construction of a railroad from Athens to Thebes. The Ministry has also passed a bill providing for the construction of a railroad from Athens to Corinth. The Ministry has also passed a bill providing for the construction of a railroad from Athens to Piræus. The Ministry has also passed a bill providing for the construction of a railroad from Athens to Eleusis. The Ministry has also passed a bill providing for the construction of a railroad from Athens to Marathon. The Ministry has also passed a bill providing for the construction of a railroad from Athens to Salamis. The Ministry has also passed a bill providing for the construction of a railroad from Athens to Megara. The Ministry has also passed a bill providing for the construction of a railroad from Athens to Eleusis. The Ministry has also passed a bill providing for the construction of a railroad from Athens to Marathon. The Ministry has also passed a bill providing for the construction of a railroad from Athens to Salamis. The Ministry has also passed a bill providing for the construction of a railroad from Athens to Megara.

GREAT BRITAIN.

LONDON, Dec. 6.—In the House of Commons today the Speaker announced that more money had been given to the Franchise bill.

INTERCOURSE OF NATIONS AND NATIONS.

During November Great Britain imported, compared with November of last year, £5,775,000. Exports during November amounted to £5,000,000 compared with November of last year.

AN ACADEMY CLOSES FOR WANT.

The Registrar at Birmingham, before whom the bankrupt has the master of the school will was held, refused today to search deed to the making the Clifton Convention concerning the case which was sent to the House of Commons by the Right Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, President of the Board of Trade.

THE CONDITION OF THE AGRICULTURAL LABORER.

Lord Wemyss and other landed agents are to-day in receipt of letters from the tenants of their estates, asking for a reduction of rents.

THE LONDON CONSERVATIVE CLUB.

The Standard says that the Conservative Club, which was burned down on the night of the 13th inst., will be rebuilt at once.

THE LIBERAL CONVENTION.

The Liberal Convention will meet in Leeds on Dec. 9. The Duke of Argyll will preside.

THE FRENCH ACADEMY.

The Paris correspondent of the London Standard says that the French Academy has elected Count Alexis de Tocqueville to the seat vacated by the death of M. Littré.

THE ENGLISH CHURCH.

The Bishop of Lincoln has appointed Rev. Mr. Wilkinson to the living of Grantham, which has been vacant for some time

## THE MACKIN MACHINE.

**Dr. Shadel Paroles Arthur Gleason with a Story That Will Stick.**

**County-Clerk Ryan Rests with Rare Forbearance Regarding the Office Clerks.**

**Gabby Scully for the Semi-Jury Was Most Weird, Potent of Kidney.**

THE CLOSING OFFICE.

THE DEMOCRATIC "FINE WORKER."

JOSEPH CHESTERFIELD (SCOOP) MACKIN.

"On what grounds do you refuse to answer?" [what you did with the Logan fabric?]
"For the reason that I might criminate myself."

## CAPITAL AND LABOR.

**The Striking Tailor Miners Slowly Submitting to the Operators' Demands.**

**Leading Industries of Connecticut Depressed and Discharging Many Workmen.**

**Brisk Anthracite Business Booked—A Bill Declaring Private—Commercial Disasters.**

THE INDUSTRIAL SITUATION.

## A FAMILY ANNIHILATED.

**Mysterious Death of the Surviving Member of a Family of Four Persons.**

## THE TELEPHONE.

**Speedy Overpowering of the Western Union by Full Consolidation in Syracuse the Capital.**

## POLITICAL QUARRELS.

## FINANCIAL TROUBLE.

THE SAFES.

DRAFT AND WAGE.

## NEW YORK.

**Absurd Connection in Certain Quarters to the Scottish Treaty.**

**The Elevated Railroads Pay Up Over a Million Dollars of Back Taxes.**

**The Jake Porter to Be Sole Commissioner of Public Works—Quarrels Ensued.**

THE QUARTER TERRIFF.

## ART.

Notes of the Month's Art Activity.

Boats and Children—Chicago Artists at Omaha.

## SOCIETY.

### Hymen Abdicating in New York Choice in Favor of Vaudeville.

### Receptions the Rule and Weddings of Rare Occurrence—Dancing Parties.

### A Number of Enjoyable Entertainments in Chicago During the Last Week.

NEW YORK.

[BY TELEGRAPH EXCLUSIVELY FOR THE TRIBUNE.]

New York, Dec. 1.—[Special.]—The social season, Mrs. Astor to the contrary notwithstanding, to the usual effect to favor of Gotham has now arrived. The preliminary entertainments announced are on the ancient order, while the ball to be given next week by Mrs. Astor in honor of her granddaughter, Miss Emily Ruthven Kane, will be the first of the season. The function will be held at the residence of Mrs. Astor, No. 840 Fifth avenue, and will be given in honor of Miss Emily Ruthven Kane, daughter of Mrs. Astor's son, John Jacob Astor, and granddaughter of Mrs. Astor. The ball will be the first of the season, and will be followed by a number of others.

Mrs. Astor's son, William Waldorf Astor, is expected to arrive in this country from England on the 15th inst., and it is probable that a ball will be given in honor of his return.

Mrs. Astor's daughter, Mrs. Paran Stevens, will also give a ball during the season

## PHILADELPHIA BELLES.

**Gambetta Arnold's Beautiful Bride, and Her Bridesmaid Returned from This Country.**

**Roberts Gratz, Who Became the Second Wife of One of Sir Walter Scott's Sons-in.**

**The Social Success of a Handsome Wisconsinite, and Other Recent Doorins of Today.**

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Dec. 6.—[Special Correspondence.] "I don't want those characteristic women in Philadelphia that we read about in the United States," said an English author who was the guest of the Grand Union Hotel at Saratoga one night last summer. "They are not fair samples of form and face, but their style dies to perfect, and they indicate the highest type of womanhood." They harmonize very well with the notions of Quakerism, however, which prefer that it has not ornamentation. Quaker girls women are decidedly beautiful. The best specimen of one city—and by that is meant fashionable Philadelphia—will underestimate those of Gravesend or Jersey City. Their complexions are of the most delicate tints, and they have a refined or elegant manner of living that is very attractive. One class was originally of the best English stock, devoted to the Anglican Church and staunchly to all the rights and traditions and forms. The other was made up of the descendants of the Quakers, who, with the original creed they adopted of the Society of Friends, have assimilated much of the manners and graces and even the forms of what they once were inclined to regard as the vanities. A more charge of Elliot, as to the latter, would not, however, destroy the effects of perhaps generations of the discipline of the Society of Friends, and as the full stream of fashion flows during all the fashion season through that it does not seem to be the case of a gentleman who goes to the Quakers of their houses. The old of the Philadelphia girl is commonly that of the English girl, and that accounts, perhaps, for many gatherings of long friends who, in Europe—the New York girl Boston, or Europeans—the New York girl wealth has not to speak of does not exist. But there is about her an air of right, and that is a point of great evidence and importance, of complete repose, of that indefinable, indefinable quality known of the best girls—but, for the sake of which of the Philadelphia girl is commonly valuable girl is indeed the rare exception. This differentiation of which she possesses. This differentiation of which she possesses from the New York girl is found.

**SOCIETY'S QUEENS.**

The Quaker City has not been found for the beauty of its women to rank first with. The proper of all the ladies' fashion are bright with the hues of pretty features and delicate complexions.

Among the leaders of the Quakerdom of Philadelphia with their charming Drexel Biddle. Her family was in the first rank of the Quaker aristocracy in the days when it had aristocracy to give to this government, and it has continued to give to it statesmen, a succession of worthy, God-fearing men and women, though her sons who are members of the Society of Friends are not to be found in the fashionable circles of Philadelphia. Mrs. Biddle is a beautiful woman, with a fine figure and a face that is a perfect picture of health and vivacity. She is a great favorite in society, and her influence for right style dies to perfect, and they indicate the highest type of womanhood." They harmonize very well with the notions of Quakerism, however, which prefer that it has not ornamentation. Quaker girls women are decidedly beautiful. The best specimen of one city—and by that is meant fashionable Philadelphia—will underestimate those of Gravesend or Jersey City. Their complexions are of the most delicate tints, and they have a refined or elegant manner of living that is very attractive. One class was originally of the best English stock, devoted to the Anglican Church and staunchly to all the rights and traditions and forms. The other was made up of the descendants of the Quakers, who, with the original creed they adopted of the Society of Friends, have assimilated much of the manners and graces and even the forms of what they once were inclined to regard as the vanities. A more charge of Elliot, as to the latter, would not, however, destroy the effects of perhaps generations of the discipline of the Society of Friends, and as the full stream of fashion flows during all the fashion season through that it does not seem to be the case of a gentleman who goes to the Quakers of their houses. The old of the Philadelphia girl is commonly that of the English girl, and that accounts, perhaps, for many gatherings of long friends who, in Europe—the New York girl Boston, or Europeans—the New York girl wealth has not to speak of does not exist. But there is about her an air of right, and that is a point of great evidence and importance, of complete repose, of that indefinable, indefinable quality known of the best girls—but, for the sake of which of the Philadelphia girl is commonly valuable girl is indeed the rare exception. This differentiation of which she possesses. This differentiation of which she possesses from the New York girl is found.

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## H. H. A.

**Sunday Christmas Manufactures Which Are Not Adaptations of a Pleasing Character.**

**The Actors and Vaudevilles on the Rest of Terms and Dropping Talking with Each Other.**

**Two Beautiful Women, One of Whom Thinks She Can Act—Other Matters of Current Gossip.**

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—[Special Correspondence.] "And when, as it will," would the Sunday to the presumptuous question which he suggested that a new one on the family breakfast of the already sweet shepherd's delectation of the sunday table the opinions of Augustus Flower, whose with the most wonderful and great analysis and make the most wonderful and great examination of Shakespeare ever made public. Examination of the "authority" of the Bacon-Shakespeare myth, without having any the character of a very scientific work, there is no question that it is the most wonderful piece of analysis ever made. There is no more wonderful piece of analysis ever made. There is no more wonderful piece of analysis ever made. There is no more

# THE CITY.

"INTERVIEWING 'THE BEST.'"

## WIND AND RAIN.

**War of the Elements at Pittsburg, Pennsylvania—A Disastrous Storm.**

**A Child Killed by a Falling Sign—Six Rather and Sister Injured.**

**Wet Weather Throughout the Eastern and Southern States—Washington Report—Indications for Today.**

Signal Service.

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER, WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 1—1 a. m.—Indications for the Upper Lake region, slowly warmer, local rains or snows, lower temperature, northerly winds, higher barometer.

For the Upper Mississippi Valley, partly cloudy weather and rains or snows, followed by fair weather, northerly winds, lower temperature, higher barometer.

For the Missouri Valley, partly cloudy weather, local snows, northerly winds, lower temperature.

For Monday, colder, partly cloudy weather and snows in the lake region.

Cautionary signals continue on Lower Lake, Rivers, Harbors, and Bridges.

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A Heavy Storm at Pittsburg Doing Damage to Life and Property.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 1.—(Special.)—A heavy, steady downpour of rain, with a strong wind, started in the most destructive wind and rain storm that has ever been known in this city about the assembling October's Bull Run of 1871. Great signs tottered and came down with a mighty crash. Telegraph poles were blown down and wires were twisted and entangled into snarls. It was merely twenty-five minutes past 7 o'clock when the storm burst and continued with such great severity for forty-five minutes. Many new buildings adjacent to which are in an unfinished and exposed condition, suffered severely. Many people passed prostrations and the streets at 7 o'clock, owing to the rain that had continued steadily for the entire day, the streets were as great as in ordinary Saturday nights or the damage might have been much greater.

The wildest scenes chronicled had to occur on Smithfield avenue, where a bright little 4-year-old girl named Jessie Hall was almost torn shortly out to section and little sister were severely hurt. Mrs. Hall was on her way home from the store, she had the little girl in her arms. The fury of a short-distance behind. Hall was trying to reach a place of shelter when a very heavy sidewalk sign blew down and something struck the top of a building, when crashing down upon them, instantly killing the girl. When taken from the wreck the mother had the baby girl tightly clasped to her breast, all efforts were made to save the child's life, but it was found that the mother had received a fracture of the skull that had caused instant death. Mrs. Hall was severely injured about the head and body, but will recover. Three or four persons were injured in other parts of the city and across the river in Allegheny.

At Lawrenceville three men were on the Pennsylvania Railroad, the roof of the new workhouse was torn off by the wind and carried across the track. Fortunately no one was hurt.

Wind, Rain, and Snow.

BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 1.—(Special.)—The section on Local Washington during November has about the average that for the month, the temperature ranging from 31.7 the 1st to 57.7 from 1871 the 4th and 5th, the mean being 43.7. The movement of the wind was 6,180 miles, the most daily movement being 20 miles, and the greatest 1,700 miles per hour. There were 11 thunderstorms during the month, and the total precipitation was 3.38 inches, and at the end of the month the depth of accumulated snow covered upon the ground.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Dec. 1.—(Special.)—It has been raining here steadily for the last thirty-six hours with the most rain that fell in any one month in the history of the city. The rainfall for November was 6.10 inches, and the greatest fall in any one day was 2.50 inches. The rain has been accompanied with a heavy wind, which has been exceptionally severe for the last few

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# BEE-HIVE,

## Commencing Tomorrow, Monday, Dec. 8.

Accidents will happen in the best-regulated Business Houses, and it is due to an accident that, instead of devoting our entire attention to our Annual Holiday Opening, we shall inaugurate the Greatest Sale ever known on this Continent.

Not since the Great Panic of 1857 have the Manufacturers and Importers been in a worse dilemma than just now; never have they felt the necessity to realize CASH more than at the present moment. The auction rooms are loaded with goods, and some of the most stable manufacturing houses East, West, and in this very city, have thrown open their doors to their customers, well aware that they run the risk of losing the greater part of their wholesale trade in the future.

Others have been more prudent and sagacious; they have concluded to ship their goods to a well-established and well-located Retail House, with positive instructions

## To Sell Before Christmas at Whatever Price the Articles May Fetch, Regardless of Value.

THUS IT IS EXPLAINED why the Bee-Hive will commence to sell tomorrow all sorts of goods at prices which represent seldom more than half, often but one-third or one-quarter, and in many instances but one-tenth their real value.

## REMEMBER,

Please, these goods are consigned to us direct by the Manufacturers and Importers; the BEE-HIVE does not lose a dollar at this sale, because we act merely as *Agents* for the Manufacturers and Importers, charging but a small commission (considerably less than the Auction Houses).

ANOTHER REMARKABLE FEATURE of this extraordinary sale is that the class of goods is not confined to a few special lines, but that it is universal, including besides Staple Goods a great many Holiday Goods, such as Handkerchiefs, Neckwear, Dolls, Books, Toys, and Fancy Goods, because the articles just mentioned are, alike with Staple Goods, a drug in the market.

THUS IT IS EXPLAINED why the Bee-Hive can sell tomorrow All-Wool Scarlet Underwear **at 50 cents**, because these goods are sent to us from one of the largest mills in Colmes, N. Y.

THUS IT IS EXPLAINED why the Bee-Hive can sell an All-Wool Tight-Fitting Ladies' Newmarket, trimmed with Plush, and sold heretofore at $10.00, tomorrow **at $5.00**, because one of the largest Cloak manufacturers in this city needs money very badly.

THUS IT IS EXPLAINED why the Bee-Hive can sell tomorrow a pair of Ladies' fine Kid Shoes worth $5, at **$2.50**, because a large manufacturer in Rochester, N. Y., desires to unload.

THUS IT IS EXPLAINED why the Bee-Hive can sell a half-dozen Ladies' or Gents' Initial Handkerchiefs, in handsome box, **at $1.00 per box**, because a large importer from Ireland needs cash.

THUS IT IS EXPLAINED why the Bee-Hive can sell a pair of fine Kid Gloves worth $1.00 **at 35 cents per pair.**

THUS IT IS EXPLAINED why the Bee-Hive can sell tomorrow an All-Wool Boy's Suit worth $8.00 **at $4.00 each.** Fine Men's Overcoats, worth $13.00, **at $6.75 each.**

THUS IT IS EXPLAINED why the Bee-Hive can sell tomorrow 50 cases Foreign and Domestic Dress Fabrics **at 5 cents per yard.** 300 pieces Colored Gros Grain Silk and Striped Summer Silks **at 25 cents per yard.**

THUS IT IS EXPLAINED why the Bee-Hive can sell tomorrow Ladies' Cashmere Hose and Men's Ribbed Shaker Hose, **three pairs for 50 cents.**

THUS IT IS EXPLAINED why the Bee-Hive can sell tomorrow Renfrew & Westbrook's Dress Gingham worth 10 cents, **at 4 cents per yard.**

THUS IT IS EXPLAINED why the Bee-Hive can sell tomorrow Pure Linen Unbleached Table Damask worth 25 cents **at 10 cents per yard.**

THUS IT IS EXPLAINED why the Bee-Hive can sell tomorrow Hardwood Cornice Poles, complete, **12 cents each.**

THUS IT IS EXPLAINED why the Bee-Hive can sell tomorrow Nottingham Lace Curtains, six yards long, **at 35 cents per pair.**

THUS IT IS EXPLAINED why the Bee-Hive can sell tomorrow Genuine Smyrna Rugs, worth $1.00, **60c each.**

THUS IT IS EXPLAINED why the Bee-Hive can sell tomorrow Corded Corsets, in drab and white, handsomely embroidered with side-stays, worth $1.00, **at 39c per pair.**

THUS IT IS EXPLAINED why the Bee-Hive can sell tomorrow elegant Alligator Leather Bags, in black and light colors, with extension bottom, **at 59c each.**

THUS IT IS EXPLAINED why the Bee-Hive can sell tomorrow Men's Satin-Lined Nonk Scarfs worth 25c, **at 15c each.**

THUS IT IS EXPLAINED why the Bee-Hive can sell tomorrow CORTICELLI'S Celebrated Spool Silk, 100 yds., in colors only, **at 5c per spool** (regular price, 10 cts).

THUS IT IS EXPLAINED why the Bee-Hive can sell tomorrow Ladies' and Gents' Colored Initial Handkerchiefs **at 3c each.**

## HANDKERCHIEFS!

This is one of the many departments in which we claim pecuniarily to be unbeatable. Compare the quality, style, and size of our goods with other establishments pretending to sell cheap.

**Every Cut Will Be Promptly Met!**

Sale No. Gents' Colored Border Linen Handkerchiefs, large size, **At 10c each.**

Sale No. Ladies' White Embroidered, Colored Hand Embroidered, Black Embroidered, Fine Swiss Lawn, Plain and Colored Embroidered, over 100 different styles to select from, some worth ten times the price, all **At the uniform price of 10c each.**

Sale No. Gents' large size China Silk Handkerchiefs, worth 25c, **At 10c each.**

Sale No. large size Silk Mufflers in White, Colored, and Silver Gray, worth $1.25, **At 50c each.**

Sale No. French Plate Mirrors, bevelled glass, fifty-carat imitation bronze frame, with silk plush matching tablet, value $1.25, sold by others as a bonder for $1.75, **Bee-Hive price $0.69.**

Any further reduction will be promptly met.

## Dress Goods, SILKS, VELVETS, and MILLINERY

AT SIMPLY

**Ridiculously Low Prices!**

Every Grade,
Every Article,
Every Style
REDUCED
IN ORDER TO SELL THIS WEEK!

## TOYS!

**DOLL CARRIAGES, SLEIGHS, WAGONS**

Of Every Kind, Style, and Description.

Horses, Velocipedes, Bicycles, Tricycles,

And Thousands of Other Articles too numerous to mention.

## OPENING SALE TOMORROW!

## $3.00

In the price for the Fancy above illustrated, made of good materials, copied from one of the best styles, perfect fit, value $10.00, sold at the Bee-Hive **At $3.00 each.**

75 Tailor-made, Plain, Stylish Garments, suitable for Evening wear for ages, worth $15, **At $5.00 each.**

65 Fancy Jackets for Young Ladies, finished with stylish plaids in back, **At $4.50 each.**

40 Stylish Newmarkets, trimmed with plush and fancybraid, worth from $20 to $25, **At $12.00 each.**

20 Fine seals, or Lady Dunpin Garments of a flexible nature, all the year's styles, some worth less than $25, **Closed out at $15.00 each.**

## Cloaks and Winter Wraps FOR THE MASSES.

*We guarantee every article advertised to be worth at least double, or money refunded.*

### Plush Garments.

75 Seal Plush Cloaks, made of pure Silk Satin Plush, lined with Farmer Satin, equal to any $25.00 garment, **At $15.00 Each**

150 Plush Sacques, of **At the uniform price $10 Each**

This lot includes Mixed and Silk Plush Garments sold heretofore at $25.00, $20.00, and $15.00.

*Early callers will receive the benefit of selection, and in all probability the best values.*

### Children's Cloaks.

We continue to sell nice Plush Cloaks for children **At Low as $1.50 Each**

Handsome, ages 4 to 12 years, **At $2.25 Each**

50 Fancy Child's Cloaks, only to go up your way, **At $3.00 Each**

Children's Fancy Plush Cloaks, weatherproof and wear-resisting, all ages, **At $4.50 Each**

25 Mixed Russian Circulars, a splendid school garment, made of Seal-Brown Cloaking, trimmed with Plush, sizes 12, 14, and 16 years, worth $10.00, **At $5.50 Each**

Shawls and Tams Made to Suit **At Half Price**

## $5.00

In the price for a stylish, tight-fitting Garment, illustrated above. It is made of ALL-WOOL Montagnac Cloaking, elegantly trimmed with Astrachan Plush, value $10.00, **Bee-Hive price, $5.00.**

75 Stylish Tailor-Russian Circulars, trimmed with Plush, plaids in back, sold up to yesterday at $10, **Choice tomorrow, $7.50.**

25 very stylish Silver-Gray Russian Circulars, trimmed with Fur, and real Fur Collar, made of fine soft Astrakhan Cloth, **At $8.50 each.**

25 very elegant Matelasse Russian Circulars, trimmed with Electric Plush Bars and round buttons, lined with Black Satin, **At $15.00 each.**

## SHOES.

**$1.49.**

One lot, Ladies' Fine, vici-kid Lace Boots, worth $2.50, **At $1.49 per pair.**

**$2.35.**

One lot, Ladies' Canvas Kid, French Kid, in Opera, Tie and Common Sense, all sizes and all kinds, **At $2.35 per pair.**

Ladies' Patent Coat Button, **At $2.49 per pair.**

Ladies' Patent Coat Button, **At $2.69 per pair.**

Ladies' Patent Coat Button, **At $2.89 per pair.**

Ladies' Patent Coat Button, **At $3.19 per pair.**

Ladies' Canvas Kid Button, **At $1.89 per pair.**

Ladies' Canvas Kid Button, **At $2.09 per pair.**

Ladies' Canvas Kid Button, **At $2.39 per pair.**

Ladies' Canvas Kid Button, **At $2.69 per pair.**

Ladies' Canvas Kid Button, **At $2.89 per pair.**

Ladies' Hand-turned Kid Button, **At $3.39 per pair.**

Ladies' Hand-turned French Kid, **At $4.09 per pair.**

## Gents' Slippers.

One pair Velvet and Cloth Embroidered Slippers, **At 69c, $1.19, $1.39, and $1.89 per pair.**

*All our Shoes, fair or regular goods, are warranted to be first-class in every respect.*

## DOLLS.

**$10,000 Worth of Dolls,**

From 5c to $25.00 each.

Will be put on sale tomorrow, all new and fresh goods, consigned by one of the largest importers in the country.

**Opening Sale Tomorrow.**

## BOOKS!

**The Holiday Book Sale OF THE Bee-Hive Has Been a Marvelous Success.**

**Our 29c Books**

Elegantly bound in cloth, worth 50c and 75c, **FINE SETS OF BOOKS**

IF LESS THAN HALF VALUE.

**Chatterbox, 48c**

Per 48c Book.

Thousands of Children's Books of every description will be placed on sale tomorrow.

Opening Sale of Fine Holiday Books TOMORROW.

## CALL EARLY TO Avoid the Afternoon Rush.

IT PAYS TO TRADE AT THE

**Bee-Hive**

174 & 176 State-st.,

Opposite Palmer House Entrance,

Leading Millinery Establishment in the Northwest.

## MONEY SAVED IS MONEY MADE

FASHIONS.

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CITY REAL ESTATE.

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SUBURBAN REAL ESTATE.

COUNTRY REAL ESTATE.

REAL ESTATE WANTED.

WANTED WANTED.

CLAIRVOYANTS.

SPIRITUAL.

MISCELLANEOUS.

MISCELLANEOUS.

TO EXCHANGE.

FOR SALE.

SITUATIONS—MALE.

SITUATIONS—MALE.

SITUATIONS—FEMALE.

SITUATIONS—FEMALE.

WANTED—MALE HELP.

WANTED—MALE HELP.

WANTED—FEMALE HELP.

CITY AGENTS—FEMALE.

PATENTS.

TO LEASE.

DRAWING MATERIALS, &c.

BUILDERS' MATERIALS.

## BUILDING CHANCES.

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## MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

## FINANCIAL.

## CONTRACTORS.

## LOST AND FOUND.

## THE WATER SUPPLY.

Subsequent Schemes of the City Fathers—Effect to Be Made to Issue Bonds.

The Custom-Class Visits Are Under Consideration, Because It Consists in Grants of the Trade.

## FINANCIAL.

## BUILDING PROPOSALS.

## BONDS.

## CASH-OFF CLOTHING.

## FINANCIAL.

## REAL ESTATE.

## MUSICAL.

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Morton & Worthington,
Commission Merchants,
128 La Salle-st.,
CHICAGO.

WE MAKE A SPECIALTY
TELEPHONE STOCKS
AND BONDS
ALL STOCKS OF ALL KINDS,
Bought and Sold for Cash or Carried on Margin.
LYNCH & BANTA,
108 La Salle-st.

## BUSINESS.

The Stock Market Dull—Chicago and New York Clearing-House Statements.

The French Treasure Hull and Irregular—Provisions Firmer—Corn Trade.

Wheat and Oats Heavy—The Future Depressed by Continued Large Increase of Stocks.

### SATURDAY.

Closings at the principal cities of the United States the last two Saturdays were:

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| New York | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Chicago | [illegible] | [illegible] |

New York exchange was quoted on Saturday:

Chicago, No discount.
Boston, Slightly preferred.
St. Louis, 40c premium.
Philadelphia, 10c premium.
Cincinnati, 25c premium.
New Orleans, $1.25 premium.

It was a point fair on the whole yesterday, even in the absence business, and the demand for loans was small. The shipments of currency to the interior were heavy, particularly to the points from which livestock is coming, and the receipts were very moderate. The orders from the interior for Eastern exchange were large, but the supply was beyond the requirements of purchasers, and the rate for future use for the first time in a long period, to-day, became a mere nominal matter of dickers for exchange for the latest par at the centers of the principal money to be at a premium, as it has been for seven months. Foreign bills were dull and unchanged, the quotations being as follows:

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| Nominal sterling, posted rates | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Actual sterling, sixty days | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Actual sterling, sight | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Francs, commercial | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Francs, bankers' | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Marks, commercial | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Marks, bankers' | [illegible] | [illegible] |

There was a good demand for investment securities, and prices are still strong. The sales at the Chicago Stock Exchange were $1,000 Commercial Nat. 6s at 97½, then $1,000 at 97½, $1,000 at 97½, and then $1,000 more at 97½, two shares of Continental Nat. stock at 97½, $1,000 Diamond Match 6s at 91½, $500 at 91½, $2,000 Chicago & Western Indiana 6s at 101½, $1,000 at 101½, and $1,000 Chicago, Milwaukee & Western 6s at 91½. Clearing-house returns for the session were the following:

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The following were the selling prices on the Stock Exchange, except where a dagger (†) indicates that the price was asked without a bid:

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The sales on the New York Stock Exchange were 64,000 shares. The fact showed more acceptance of fulfilling the hopes of the bears than it had for many days. The closing stocks were weak, and Lackawanna, which has shown a strong x from other shares here selling, declined 1½, though it recovered a trifle at the close. It is thought that the share underlaid to realize, and that the bears availed themselves of the opportunity to sell. Sales were nevertheless made as low as 130. St. Paul sold off a trifle, and Union Pacific was dull. New York Central and Lake Shore were well supported, it is thought, by the syndicate who bought the Central debenture bonds. There were good foreign orders for both of these stocks. The New York Central dividend of 1½ per cent was officially declared to-day. There was more activity than usual in Southern Coalfields, and it advanced a point. Money closed one strength than on some days recently, in spite of the export that Secretary Carlisle of the Baltimore & Ohio had borrowed $1,000,000 on his stock with which to buy Jersey Central. The opposition to the position of an issue of securities by the Reading lead to betterment in the Jersey Central here reported against the scheme. The basis of the Reading stock a bonanza of $60,000 for bankers. The Missouri Pacific lost ½ per cent. The earnings for the week ended Dec. 8 were $1,000 less than for the corresponding week last year. The statement for the year is claimed to be very favorable—so favorable that it will not be made public. The coal has agreed to go into effect on the 15th, etc. There was a decrease of $61,712 in the earnings of the Louisville & Nashville road for the fourth week of December. The Southern reports an increase of $61,712 for November. There was a net increase of $261,000 on the Northern Pacific from July 1 to Dec. 1. The Del Telephone Company was applied to the Massachusetts Legislature for permission to increase the capital stock to $10,000,000, the amount now being $1,000,000.

The statement of the New York associated banks is in some respects encouraging. The loans have increased handsomely, and the increase in the surplus reserve is telling. The shrinking of $3,000,000 in the specie reserve is rapidly beyond what the banks have carried to meet loans, and beyond what they would have carried necessarily if there had been a good demand for their funds, is quite remarkable. Drop the $3,000,000 of November the surplus reserve increased nearly $11,000,000, or at the rate of $5,750,000 a week, while the increase last week was only $600,000. The deposits increased over $3,000,000, but they are still a good deal below the total of last month. The following is the statement for last week in detail:

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Statement of the Chicago Clearing-House for the week ending Dec. 1:

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Bank of Commerce Clearing-House:

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### MONEY AND EXCHANGE.

New York, Dec. 1.—[Special.]—The Herald's money goods says: Today's stock market continued to look more with the modern development in spinning things out of doors than dull and feverish. Somebody spending days and not with better minds. Even a moderately strong market needs as for profession; rather evident was lack of gentlemen from the great operators, and even those to engage in figures contributed to more solitary; under to the story of the morning's gain a loss. It was then somewhere very much of the Louisville & Nashville and Northern Pacific preferred was applied to the Massachusetts Legislature for permission to increase the capital stock to $10,000,000, the amount now being $1,000,000.

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## AMUSEMENTS.

An Appreciative Review of the Comedy Season in "My Life."

Light Opera and Dramatic Tidbits Provided for the Coming Week.

Gossip's Last Gossip—News and Announcements Here and Elsewhere.

### THE DRAMA.

*A Synopsis of Comedy.*

Mr. Dave Beasley's idea of comedy, as it happened to be sentiment ("My Life," is in question at to make more than a transient impression upon the mind. He has endeavored in his Opera Association with a zeal who would exhibit both his combined power and his appreciation of humor. During comparatively short time he has given to the public, it may not be safe to give some idea as to the manner of his and variety of his talent, it may not be safe to give some idea as to the manner of his and variety of his talent, especially at this time when the art of the stage has nearly degenerated into commerce.

Unlike other artists, Mr. Beasley does not stand to the exhibition of an audience to the weight and worth, methods of the farce, but, confining himself to the province of entertaining the lover of comedy and the supporter of the minor arts.

In the second act of "My Life," this an exceptional soldier describes the sports, how to a French opera-bouffe actor. During the appearance some of Tom Brown, "Hamlet," Brutus, and "Lear," Macbeth," "Othello," "Richard III.," "Shylock," "Virginius," "Lucretia Borgia," and "Camille," and "Juliet," and "Ophelia," "Desdemona," "Lady Macbeth," "Rosalind," "Portia," "Beatrice," "Imogen," "Hermione," "Queen Katharine," "Constance," "Volumnia," "Cleopatra," "Mrs. Haller," "Pauline," "Lady Teazle," "Mrs. Malaprop," "Lady Gay Spanker," "Peg Woffington," "Nancy Sykes," "Meg Merrilies," "Mrs. Sullen," "Lady Townly," "Lady Betty Modish